Tips for surviving Nagel middle school.

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1. ALWAYS carry gum it’s like money at Nagel.
2. You don’t need to bring a pencil everyday most of the time you can find them on the ground.
3. Get on your teachers good sides if they like you then they’ll have more sympathy for you if you forget your homework.
4. Join a sport or a club especially in 7th grade you can make more friends and feel less awkward when you get to your team.
5. Do your homework even if you have to do it in advisory. If you don’t you get zapped and zap is terrible.
6. Never argue with a teacher they always win and you end up in the office 9 times out of 10.
7. Go to Nagel at night even if you just go to talk to people.
8. Eat breakfast even if you aren’t hungry lunch is much later than you think.
9. Study for math tests they count for much more of your grade than homework.
10. Take explicit notes when your teacher gives you a chance make sure you get all the important information
11. Go to bed early
12. Don’t tell untrustworthy people anything (Wantz)
13. If you’re going to sleep in class make sure you have someone tell you what you did in class
14. Also if you’re going to sleep in class sit in the back of the classroom
15. If you’re stuck on a project ask your teacher for advice
16. If you get a project or test back and you think you deserved a better grade ask the teacher
17. Pick classes other than exploratory
18. Ironically don’t take chorus either you’ll end up regretting doing it
19. Hang out with friends as much as possible it is a great stress reliever and gets your mind of school
20. Don’t use school bathrooms it is a very awkward experience
21. Don’t be a fair-weather fan it will end up annoying all your friends
22. Learn ways around school firewalls the reward will be greater than the consequence
23. Don’t say anything bad in Mrs. Kesler’s class you’ll have to give the person three put-ups
24. Don’t copy others people’s work they will know you did
25. Don’t start fights with kids bigger than you